

## COMMUNITY NEWS

Busy people are busier than ever at this climatic point of the year. In the area of community relations, Trinity members should be mindful of these activities:

1. All Trinity members should plan to attend the Fifth Annual Roundtable Conference, May 15, 2:30 to 6:00 at Clinton Place Junior High School. A planning committee has been diligently at work for more than two months in preparation for this largest and most important neighborhood meeting of the year. This year's theme is "Citizen Participation in Neighborhood Improvement". Mr. Roland Sawyer, housing consultant for the United Steel Workers of America, an active churchman and a national leader in the fight against urban blight and discrimination in housing will be the keynote speaker. The traditional key feature will be the roundtable discussions in groups of ten or twelve persons on such topics as "Housing and Zoning Code Enforcement", "Rental and Sales Practices", "Housing Legislation", "New Housing and General Neighborhood Planning", "Recreation", "Education", and general neighborhood problems. Interesting displays (under the direction of Bill Wallace), tasty refreshments and a free admission should make the conference appealing to all. Our own Louis Pitts is the conference coordinator.

2. Since cleanliness is next to godliness, according to some, we are urging all to join the annual Clean-up Campaign, May 2 to 15, under the sponsorship of the Clinton Hill Neighborhood Council and the Newark Junior Chamber of Commerce. During the last week of the campaign the city will send special trucks around to collect (on your regular pick-up days) any winter's accumulation of newspapers, old furniture, bottles, etc. Mrs. Mildred Helms is heading up this drive.

3. Many of you have seen the "Neighborhood News", the bi-monthly publication of the CHNC and the Merchant's Association. Since Trinity people are very much involved in this newspaper, and since the best way to improve a paper is to hear suggestions by its readers, here are some questions that we would like you to think about and, if possible, drop a note or tell Lou Pitts or me:

- Did you receive a copy of the Easter issue? (there are copies available in the back of the church.)
- What did you like most about the paper? Least?
- What suggestions would you make to improve the paper in coverage, content, style, photos, distribution, advertising, etc?
- Do you have suggestions for renaming the newspaper?
- Are you aware that you can buy classified advertising space at 50¢ a line for items you want or should like to sell? (Any members who desire to so advertise -- and these reach 10,000 homes -- should contact Mr. Louis Pitts two weeks prior to the next issue which is presently scheduled for the last week of June.)

Kim Jefferson

# SECOND ANNUAL TRINITY

# ALL-CHURCH PICNIC!

WHEN? SATURDAY MAY 21, 1960 (soon!)

o leave Trinity 9:00 a.m.

o return by 4:00 p.m.

WHERE? CAMP NORTHOVER (same as last year)

o just off Route 22, 1/2 mi. past Bound Brook

o look for signs "VOSSLER AVENUE" and "CAMP NORTHOVER"

WHAT? SWIMMING, SPORTS, HIKING, RELAXING

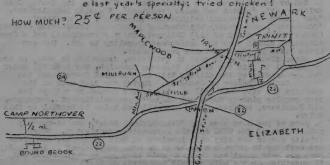
and, of course, your favorite pastime,

EATING!

o best food in the world (bring your own!)

o last year's specialty: fried chicken!

HOW MUCH? 25¢ PER PERSON



We cannot provide supervision for children under 6. Boys and girls ninth grade or under must present the following permission slip if unaccompanied by parent or guardian:

My \_\_\_\_\_ has my permission

(son or daughter) (name)  
to attend the Trinity All-Church Picnic, Saturday, May 21, 1960, leaving the church at 9:00 a.m. and returning by 4:00 p.m. To my knowledge, my child has no heart condition or allergies which would prevent full participation in the picnic. It is my understanding and agreement that neither Trinity Methodist Church nor the Church School assumes liability in matters of accident or illness.

(Signature of parent or guardian)

(Emergency phone number)